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The Olympic Channel

“The launch of the Olympic Channel was a significant milestone for the entire Olympic Family, creating a legacy for years to come. It provides us with a new way to engage younger generations and fans with the Olympic Movement, and to get the couch potatoes off the couch. The Olympic Channel’s impact is key to reaching our target audiences through compelling and entertaining content 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.”

Thomas Bach, IOC President

Launched in August 2016 in support of the IOC’s goal as set out in Olympic Agenda 2020, the Olympic Channel provides a new way to engage younger generations, fans and new audiences with the Olympic Movement all year round.

The multi-platform global media destination features more than 9,500 pieces of video content representing all Olympic sport disciplines and 206 countries, 35 original series, partnerships with 63 international sport federations and organisations, and is available in 11 languages.

Using a feature-rich product, the Olympic Channel attracts and engages with a new generation of sport fans including the highly sought-after and targeted 16- to 35-year-old audience, with more than 82 per cent of those engaging with Olympic Channel content on its social media platforms below the age of 35.

Offering original programming, news, live sports events, social media and interactive content, the Olympic Channel provides additional exposure for sports and athletes outside of the Olympic Games themselves. The scope of the Channel’s programming covers a diverse array of subjects including training, educational and youth-oriented topics, sustainability, sports science and nutrition, healthy and active lifestyles, historical footage and official films from the IOC’s archives. The Olympic Channel also provides an additional distribution platform for its 63 federation partnerships, which includes collaboration on more than 900 live events to date.

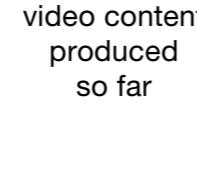
Following its global digital launch, the Olympic Channel began distribution partnerships with NBCUniversal and the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) in the United States, Discovery Communications/Eurosport in Europe, and beIN Sports in the Middle East and Northern Africa to bring an Olympic Channel linear experience to their territories.



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Founding Partners supporting the Olympic Channel are Worldwide Olympic Partners Bridgestone, Toyota and Alibaba. Founding Partners receive exclusive advertising and branded content opportunities through the platform, where they are able to contribute narrative and further associate their brand with the Olympic values, ultimately reaching wider audiences year-round.

The Olympic Channel is available worldwide via mobile apps for Android and iOS devices and at www.olympicchannel.com.

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